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1. FOLLOWING VIETNAMESE REFUGEES WERE FORMERLY INELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE UNDER CATEGORY I OF GUIDELINES. WITH EXPANDED RELATIONSHIP GIVEN REFTTEL (A) THEY NOW QUALIFY AND SHOULD NOW BE AFFORDED CONSIDERATION FOR U.S. PAROLE.

2. LE NGOC YEN, FEMALE, AGE 27, HEAD OF FAMILY, ARRIVED TAIWAN APRIL 25, 1975 NO CLAIM TO CHINESE CITIZENSHIP, SISTERS, LE NGOC NHAN, AGE 26, LE NGOC HA, AGE 21, LE THI NGOC NGA, AGE 16; BROTHER, LE CHI CUONG, AGE 20; COUSINS, PHU TIEU VAN, FEMALE, AGE 26, PHU DU CHUONG, MALE, AGE 19. RELATIVE IN U.S. - AUNT, MRS. PHUNG NH KNIGHT, MARRIED TO U.S. CITIZEN RONALD C. KNIGHT RESIDING AT 7473 E. VANCOUVER DR., TUCSON, ARIZONA 85730. AFFIDAVIT OF SUPPORT SUBMITTED BY BROTHER-IN-LAW.

3. MAI ANH VIET, MALE, SELF, AGE 20, STUDENT (SUGAR TECHNICIAN), ARRIVED TAIWAN NOV 19, 1974. RELATIVE IN U.S. - UNCLE, NGUYEN QUANG VINH RESIDING AT 1537 VILLAGE DRIVE; COLUMBUS, INDIANA 47201 (HOME OF SPONSOR MR. THOMAS R. CASTEN).

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4. NGUYEN KIM DUNG, FEMALE, AGE 24, HUSBAND NGUYEN XUAN

CHAN, AGE 23, ARRIVED TAIWAN MARCH 30, 1974. SUBJECT CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY (REFTELS (C) AND (D)). WIFE HAS U.S. CITIZEN AUNT, BACH THOUC SCHLECHTT, RESIDING AT 10406 N. 58TH ST., SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA 85253 AND BROTHER, NGUYEN TIEN HAI, FORMERLY STUDENT IN U.S. ON F-1 VISA.

5. VAN HUYNH PHI, FEMALE, AGE 25, ARRIVED TAIWAN APRIL 14, 1975. RELATIVE IN U.S. - AUNT, VAN NGOC RESIDING AT 49 GREENWICH ST., NEW YORK, N. Y. AND COUSIN, VI HU, FORMER AIDE TO AMBASSADOR NGUYEN VAN KIEU, RECENTLY GRANTED PAROLE STATUS TO U.S.

6. TRAN THIEN MAI, AGE 31, ARRIVED TAIWAN SEP 17, 1969, STUDENT NATIONAL TAIWAN UNIVERSITY. RECENTLY DISCOVERED THAT ONLY RELATIVE OUTSIDE VIETNAM IS BROTHER, TRAN HAI HA, WHO HAS BEEN ACCEPTED AS INDEFINITE REFUGEE IN U.S. ON SEP 26, 1975. BROTHER RESIDES AT RT. 2, P. O. BOX 610, LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLINA 29340. MISS MAI SPEAKS CHINESE BUT HAS NO CLAIM TO CHINESE CITIZENSHIP.

7. DAO THUY LAN, MALE, AGE 26, STUDENT, ARRIVED IN TAIWAN DEC 27, 1973 TO STUDY TAIWAN UNIVERSITY. CLAIMS TO HAVE WIFE, LUU THI KIM ANH, WHO NOW RESIDING WITH HER FAMILY AT 15323 S.W. 107TH COURT, MIAMI, FLA. 33157. NEITHER HE NOR WIFE HAS MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE. MR. LAN HAS PRESENTED LETTER FROM PROFESSOR LEON GOURE, 907 JERONIMO DRIVE, CORAL GABLES, FLA. 33146, WHICH VOUCHES FOR FAMILY'S CHARACTER AND ALSO ATTACHES TWO SWORN AFFIDAVITS ATTESTING TO MR. LAN MARRIAGE ON DEC. 23, 1973 (FIVE DAYS BEFORE HE CAME TO TAIWAN). TWO PICTURES OF ALLEGED WEDDING ALSO SUBMITTED, BUT ACCORDING TO VIETNAMESE CUSTOM THIS COULD ALSO REPRESENT ENGAGEMENT CEREMONY.

8. ALL REFUGEES ARE FALCON CLEARED EXCEPT VAN HUYNH PHI AND TRAN THIEN MAI FOR WHOM CLEARANCE TO BE REQUESTED. UNGER

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